**IAS Officers on Deputation to Uttar Pradesh**

2253. SHRI SOHAN LAL DHUSIYA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of IAS officers who are at present on deputation to the State of Uttar Pradesh;

(b) whether it is a fact that a number of such officers are continuing even after the expiry of their deputation periods; and

(c) if so, by when they are likely to be reverted to their parent cadre?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS SHRI P. VENKATASUBBAIAH): (a) to (c) Five I.A.S. officers are at present on inter-cadre deputation to Uttar Pradesh. One of them is continuing even after expiry of his period of deputation. The Government of Uttar Pradesh have informed that he will be relieved shortly.

**नागास्वामी रोटो रामबाबा की हत्या की केन्द्रीय जांच ब्यूरो द्वारा जांच**

2254. **श्री सत्य प्रकाश मालवीय:** क्या गृह मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या सरकार, भरुआ समेरपुर (जिला कानपुर, उत्तर प्रदेश) के निकट 25 जून को हुई नागास्वामी रोटी राम बाबा की हत्या की जांच का कार्य केन्द्रीय जांच ब्यूरो को सौंपने का विचार रखती है; और

(ख) यदि नहीं, तो उसके क्या कारण है?

**गृह मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री पी. वेंकटसुब्बय्या):** (क) तथा (ख) कानून तथा व्यवस्था जिसमें अपराध भी शामिल है राज्य का विषय है। किन्तु राज्य के अनुरोध पर तथा/अथवा उनकी सहमति पर, राज्य सरकार के क्षेत्राधिकार में आने वाले अपराध के मामलों की जांच के लिए केन्द्रीय अन्वेषण ब्यूरो को सौंपा जा सकता है बशर्ते कि मामलों की परिस्थितियों के अनुसार ऐसा किए जाने का औचित्य हो।

हाल ही में उत्तर प्रदेश राज्य सरकार से इस मामले की जांच के लिए केन्द्रीय अन्वेषण ब्यूरो को सौंपने के सम्बन्ध में एक अनुरोध प्राप्त हुआ है। इस मामले की जांच की जा रही है।

**Ocean Development Programme**

2255. SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what are the major achievements of the ocean development programme during the Sixth Five Year Plan period; and

(b) what are the details of the projects that are likely to be taken up in the sphere of ocean development during the Seventh Five Year Plan?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, ATOMIC ENERGY, SPACE, ELECTRONICS AND OCEAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI SHIVRAJ V. PATIL): (a) The major achievements under the ocean development programme during the Sixth Five Year Plan period are:—

(i) Organisation of three scientific expeditions in 1981, 1982 and 1983 and the establishment of a permanent manned research station at Dakshin Gangotri.

(ii) As a result of extensive survey and exploration of polymetallic nodules in the Central Indian Ocean, India has been recognised as a pioneer investor. An application has been filed by India with the United Nations for registration of a mine site which has been identified.

(iii) A sophisticated oceanographic research vessel called 'SAGAR KANYA' has been acquired from abroad for deep sea research and survey of polymetallic nodules.